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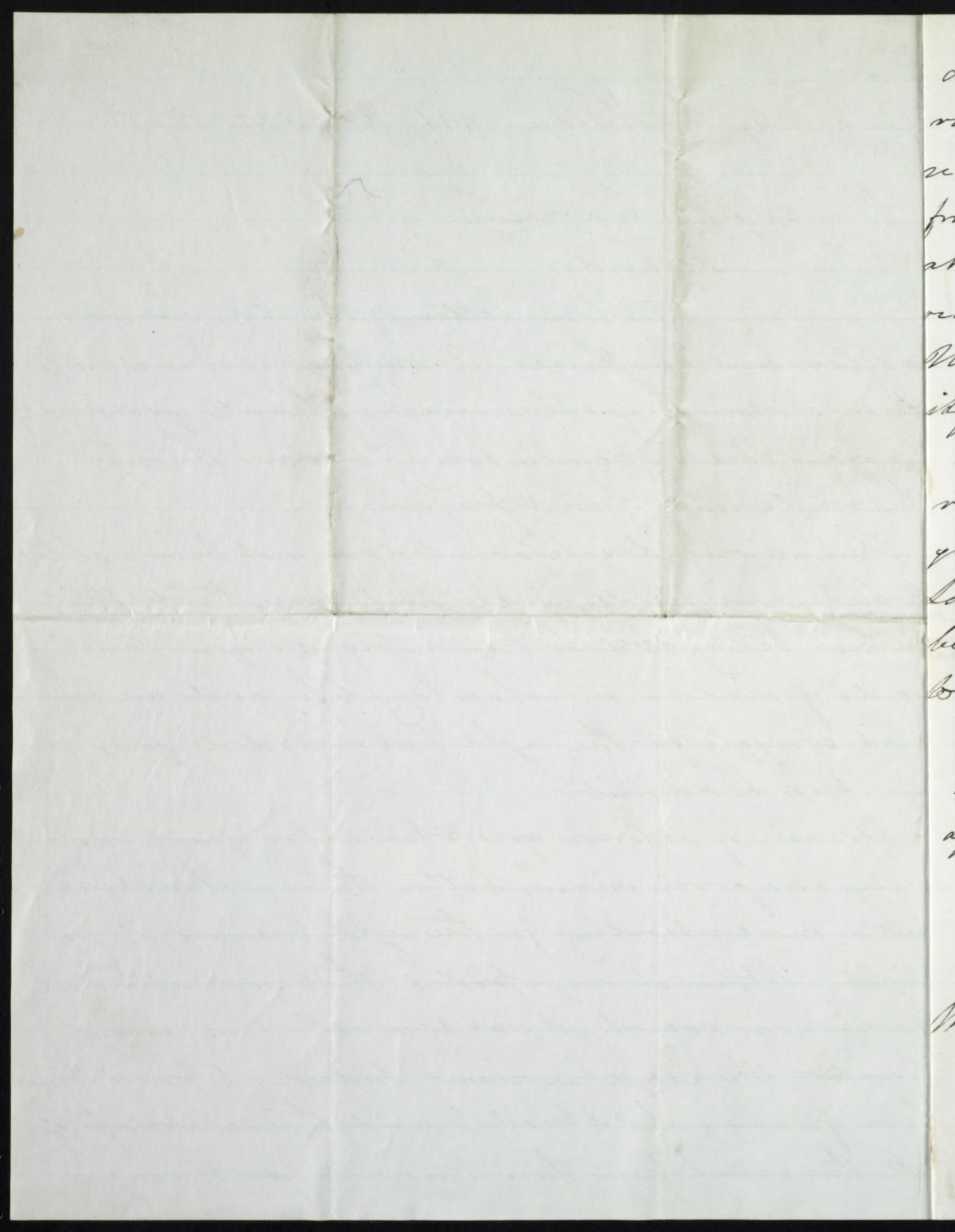
Wm Lloyd Garrison  
Friend.

Your letter of the 18th inst. was a pleasant surprise. A message of kindness from a mind of experience. Thank you kindly for your care in remembering us even through the medium of pen & paper.

That we were disappointed in not being able to see your kindly face, and more than that, in not being able to hear through you the words of wisdom, which a long life, and an earnest struggle for the right has awarded you, we are free to admit.

Many of us know you, & have for years, not only as a good man, better than a christian, but as one contending for the right, because it was right. When it was reported that you intended to visit our society, it was remarked on every hand. — Wm Lloyd Garrison, Indeed, I have known him from my childhood! and the sweetness of all this comes from their knowing you through







deeds of kindness. A great many persons visit our society who stand prominently on the record of names, for worldly official positions, for wealth or for fame, but they are generally absorbed in their own selfish interests, & no idea of existence. A universal man, — not a Universalist — who toils for the good of humanity is very seldom seen.

I hope you may at some future date be able to visit our home. Br Blanchard is a pretty good man, I think, in some things, but on that Sabbath day of the proposed visit he must have been a little weak. He has, however, promised to do better in the future.

Remember us, in all kindness to your family. Wishing you all the prosperity which this world affords, & the assurance of a happy hereafter.

I am

Respectfully

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